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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Supplemental to the amendment mailed May 14, 1996,
kindly amend the application as follows.

In the claims:

Subj 6. (Amended) A method for modifying the surface of a substrate comprising the steps of:

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(a) placing on said surface [a laminate] an article comprising (i) a melt-flowable composition and (ii) a dimensionally stable film for controlling the melt-flow behavior of said melt-flowable composition, such that said melt-flowable composition contacts said surface,

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said film having a pre-selected surface topography;

(b) heating said [laminate] article to cause said melt-flowable composition to flow [over] and substantially cover a desired area of said surface to adhere said [laminate] article to said surface,

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said dimensionally stable film controlling the melt-flow behavior of said melt-flowable composition to substantially

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